

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

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~~[FIG. 1]~~ FIG. 1 is a cross sectional view of a principal part of a representative pneumatic tire according to the present invention in the width direction of the tire.

~~[FIG. 2]~~ FIG. 2 is a partial development view of the tread portion of the tire shown in FIG. 1.

~~[FIG. 3]~~ FIG. 3 is a partial development view of a tread portion of another tire according to the present invention.

~~[FIG. 4]~~ FIG. 4 is a partial development view of a tread portion of another tire according to the present invention.

~~[FIG. 5]~~ FIG. 5 is a partial development view of a tread portion of the tire of the conventional example.